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- 1. WE ARE PLEASED TO LEARN IT MAY BE POSSIBLE PROVIDE SRI LANKA WITH 50,000 MT OF RICE FOR FY 1975. SRI LANKA VERY MUCH NEEDS THE RICE, SINCE FOOD COMMISSIONER'S PROJECTIONS GIVEN EMBASSY OFFICER MARCH 18 INDICATE UNCOVERED RICE REQUIRMEENT OF 145,000 TONS FOR CALENDAR 1975. AS REFTEL NOTES, PALATABILITY OUR RICE WILL BE KEY FACTOR.
- 2. AMBASSADOR HOPES TO BE ABLE TO DISCUSS RICE OFFER AT EARLY DATE WITH PRIME MINISTER ON EXPLORATORY BASIS. WILL RAISE AT LOWER LEVEL IF THIS NOT FEASIBLE. WASHINGTON AGENCIES THEREFORE REQUESTED NOT TO DISCUSS IT IN ADVANCE WITH SRI LANKA EMBASSY. VAN HOLLEN

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